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The Daily Courant.

Monday, November 17. 1718.

London, November 17.

Yesterday arrived a Mail from Holland, and a Mail from France, as also the Mails from Flanders.

From the Amst. Courant, dated Nov. 22.

Vienna, November 9.

THE Journal from the 8th to the 16th, written from Melazzo, is printed here, wherein the Motions of our Troops during that Time, and the Action of the 15th is related. [Which is the same that has been already printed in our Courant of the 7th Instant.] On the 16th, our Troops proceeded in building a large Work within the City, and in securing to themselves a high Ground before the Gate of Palermo, upon which we had planted Cannon before the Fight, that were of great use to us; and on the contrary, the Enemy began at the same time, to draw a Line to the Sea. They were reinforc'd the Night before by the Walloons, so that their Infantry consists of 21 Batallions, and their Cavalry of 5 Regiments. On the same Day, a Drummer came to us from the Enemy, to let us know, that they have 230 Prisoners of ours, Officers and Soldiers, and to inform himself of what Prisoners we have of theirs, which appear to be but 200, altho' the Drummer said there must be more. Among the dead of the Enemy, are Major-General Soarez, 1 Lieutenant Colonel, and 20 Captains, besides Officers of lower Degree. While the Action lasted, several of the Spaniards fled as far as Messina. The Enemy flatter themselves, that by the Force of their great Artillery, they shall be able to reduce Melazzo before our Troops can arrive. But we are so well satisfied here with the Bravery of our Troops, that we doubt not that they will soon make the Enemy sensible of their Power. We understand, that the Pope's Nuncio has a few Days ago deliver'd to the Emperour a Letter from the Chevalier de St. George, wherein he complains to his Imperial Majesty of the Confinement of the Princess Sobieski, his intended Bride, and earnestly desires she may be releas'd. In the mean time, that Princess is still at Inspruck, and the said Chevalier at Bononia. On Saturday Night the British Ambassadour Mr. Stanyan arrived here from Turkey.

From the Amst. Gazette, dated Nov. 22.

Hamburgh, Nov. 18. Two Days ago passed by here three Expresses from Copenhagen, going to Vienna, Poland, and London. They confirm that the Swedes are retired some Leagues from Drontheim, and that the Danes are preparing to give them Battle. 'Tis confirm'd from Petersburg, that the Peace between the Czar and the King of Sweden will not be concluded. The Duke of Saxe-Zeits died the 14th Instant, in a firm Persuasion of the Protestant Religion, which he lately made Profession of.

From the Haerlem Courant, dated Nov. 15.

Paris, Nov. 7. Advices from Bilboa of the 24th past mention, that the Inhabitants of Biscay are still in Arms to guard the Defiles of the Mountains, and that the Castilian Troops upon the Frontiers are daily reinforc'd, and lie expecting Orders to begin Hostilities. The Court of Madrid did not expect that the Biscayners would presume to oppose the King's Troops, and therefore the Steadiness of the People of that Province in Defence of their Liberty, gives Occasion for sending fresh Couriers to Madrid, and nothing further will be attempted till the Orders they bring back are seen. They write from St. Sebastian, the Capital of the Lordship of Guipuscoa, of the 27th past, that Cardinal Alberoni had sent Commissaries thither, as also to Pampelona, the Capital of Navarre, with Instructions and Brevets for granting Favours to some of the principal Nobility and Ecclesiasticks of those two Provinces, in order to induce them to quit the Interests of the Biscayners. And with the same View, the Cardinal has caus'd a sort of Manifesto to be publish'd at Pampelona and St. Sebastian, wherein he gives Hopes, that the Privileges of these two Provinces, with respect to their Freedom from the Imposts and Customs, shall be continued to them. But this Manifesto is not yet sent to Bilboa; and 'tis even said, that Cardinal Alberoni answer'd the Deputies of the Province of Biscay, when they made the last Instances at Madrid, that the Affair should be decided by Arms, and that the King would absolutely be obey'd.

From the Leiden Gazette, dated Nov. 18.

Paris, Nov. 11. On Tuesday Night, an Express arrived here from the Marquis de Nancre, our Minister at the Court of Madrid, and went directly to the Palais Royal, where he delivered into the Hands of the Duke Regent Dispatches of great Importance, the Contents whereof are not yet known. We are assur'd in the mean time, that the Court of Spain has declar'd, that they will persist in their first Resolution, of not accepting the Conditions contain'd in the Quadruple Alliance. 'Tis said the Marshal Duke of Berwick set out the 8th Instant for Bourdeaux, to take the Command of the Troops that are in Guienne: A Body of Troops are also in full March towards the Frontiers of Navarre. 'Tis said that these last consist of 24000 Men, and that in case we enter into a War with Spain, they will be considerably reinforc'd, and commanded in Chief by the Duke de Bourbon, who will have under him the Marshals of Berwick and Bezons, with eight Lieutenants General. M. Berthelot, Duchy and Farges, are already named to deliver out Provisions for the Men and Horses of this Army, the King however will furnish the Corn, and the Bakers necessary for baking the Ammunition Bread; and to that purpose, the Intendants of the neighbouring Provinces will be oblig'd to furnish Corn, according to the Condition of their Provinces. Notwithstanding the Ordonnances the King has publish'd for calling home the French Officers and Soldiers that are abroad, very few are returned, and 'tis computed that above 1200 of the former are in the Service of a certain Prince.

From the Amst. Gazette, dated Nov. 22.

Paris, Nov. 14. The Marquis de Nancre having lost all Hope of engaging the Court of Spain into an Accommodation, 'tis suppos'd that he is come away from Madrid to return hither, where he is suddenly expected. The Duke de St. Aignan, our Ambassadour in Ordinary at that Court, will also speedily return hither; the Court having already sent him Bills of Exchange to pay his Debts. Colonel Stanhope, Envoy Extraordinary of the King of Great Britain, will also leave Madrid at the same time. And in fine, all things are preparing for a Rupture with the Crown of Spain. The Marshal Duke of Berwick, who had his last Audience of the Duke Regent the 7th, and was to have set out the 8th, but was stopt by a fit of the Gout, departed the 12th for Bourdeaux. 'Tis confirm'd that he is to command a Body of Troops on the Side of Rousillon, whither 40 Batallions and 80 Squadrons are actually in March. The Artillery design'd for that Army is to consist of 100 Pieces of Cannon, and the Court has given Order for buying up 8000 Horses, to remount the Cavalry. We hear from Madrid, that the Court of Spain has given Orders for equipping Privateers, in all their Ports, to cruize against the English Merchant-ships.

London, November 17.

On Saturday South-Sea Stock was 106 1 half, 106 3 8ths, 106 5 8ths, to 106 1 half. Bank 142, to 143. India 188, to 188 1 qr. Lottery Annuity 100 3 8ths.

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The Annual Feast of the Sons of the Clergy will be held at Merchant Taylors-Hall, on Thursday the 4th of December next. Tickets may be had at Mr. Huffey's, Haberdasher of Hats, near the Rainbow Coffee-house, and at the said Rainbow Coffee-house by Temple Bar; Batson's Coffee-house against the Royal-Exchange; the Chapter and Child's Coffee-houses in St. Paul's Church-Yard; Pool's Coffee-house without Bishopsgate; Oliver's Coffee-house at Westminster-Hall Gate; Giles's Coffee-House in the Pall-Mall; the Crown Coffee-house behind Gray's-Inn-Walks, and the Rolls Coffee-house in Chancery-Lane. Stewards are provided for the Year ensuing. N. B. Dr. Croft's Te Deum will be Vocally and Instrumentally performed at Divine Service at St. Paul's, and those who bring their Tickets with them for the Feast, will be admitted into the Choir.

At the Desire of several Persons of Quality.
By His Majesty's Company of Comedians.

AT the Theatre-Royal in Drury-Lane, this present Monday, being the 17th of November, will be presented a Comedy call'd, The Rehearsal. Written by the late Duke of Buckingham. With all the Songs, Dances, and other Decorations proper to the Play. Particularly, Dancing by Mr. Shaw, Mr. Wade, Mr. Thurmond, Mr. Topham, a Scholar of Mr. Kellum's, Mrs. Santlow, Mrs. Bicknell, Mrs. Tence, and Miss Smith.

By the Company of Comedians.

AT the Theatre in Little-Lincoln's-Inn-Fields, this present Monday being the 17th of November, will be presented a Comedy call'd, The Committee; or, The Faithful Irishman. With Entertainments of Singing by Mrs. Fletcher. And Dancing by Monsr. De la Garde, Monsr. Moreau, Mrs. Bullock, Mrs. Moreau, and Miss Schoolding. And to Morrow, being Tuesday, will be acted the Double Dealer. In which will be perform'd, a Masque, never perform'd there before, call'd, Venus and Adonis. Set to Musick by Dr. Pepusch. The parts to be perform'd by Mrs. Barbier, Signiora Margueritta De L'Epine, and Mr. Leveridge.

At the Request of several Persons of Quality.

AT the Boarded House in Marybone-Fields, this present Monday, being the 17th of November, will be seen the Famous Grimace Spaniard, who has had the Honour to Perform before His Majesty at Hampton-Court, and likewise in most Courts in Europe, who for his Boldness and Activity, has gain'd great Applause. N. B. He is to Fight Three Bulls loose, after the Spanish Fashion, with Darts, and is oblig'd to Kill one with his Sword. They are to be the Maddest Bulls that can be got; and if any Gentleman has a Bull Madder than ordinary, he is welcome to bring him to the Place aforesaid, and he will Fight him. He likewise makes his Entry on Horseback, after the Spanish Manner of Killing them that Way. The Doors will be open'd at 11 in the Forenoon, and the Sport will begin at 1 precisely, by reason of the Shortness of the Days. Tickets to be had at St. James's Coffee-house, Young Man's at Charing-Cross, and Tom's in Cornhill; at Ten Shillings and Five Shillings each; and Half a Crown the Back-Gallery, which will be taken at the Door.

Lost on Friday last, the 14th Instant, out of Bell Yard near Doctors Commons, a very large Red and White Spaniel, the Mange broke out on his Back. Whoever brings him to the Place aforesaid, shall have a Guinea Reward, and no Questions asked.

Lost the 12th Instant, in St. James's House, or coming from thence into the City, on Wednesday Night, a Rose Drop, of about 3 Grains and half, with a small Rose upon the Hook, and a Christal Back. Whoever has found the same, and will bring it to Mr. Burchere, Jeweller, in Broad-street, near Austin Fryars, shall have 5 Guineas Reward. Or if already bought your Money again, with reasonable Profit.

Thomas Blackall and Francis Ives, Mercers, are Removed from the Seven Stars on Ludgate-Hill, to the Black Lion and Seven Stars over the Way.

To be Lett,

Near the Royal Exchange in Cornhill, one Side of a Shop very conveniently situated, fit for a Toy-shop, Hosier, Haberdasher, Sword Cutler, &c. and a Back Warehouse. Enquire at Mr. John Mare's Three Doors above the Exchange in Cornhill, and know further.

A Parcel of fine Canary Birds, lately brought from France, of Jonquil Colour, very beautiful; to be sold at the Blackmoor's Head in Shooe-maker's Row, Black-Fryers, against the End of Creed-lane, by Monsieur du Vivé.

To be Sold,

A pair of fine season'd dunn Coach Mares, and a Coach Gelding of the same Colour. The Mares six Year Old, and the Gelding Five; above 15 Hands and a half High. Enquire of Mr. Darby at the White Swan in Swithin's-Alley, Cornhill, or at the Swan and Harrow in Germarle-Mewse the Upper-End of Dover-street, where the Mares and Gelding are to be seen.

This is to advertise the Publick, That Mr. Solomon Gautier, who sold, last Summer, in the Piazza's, his Collection of Prints, is now going to expose to Sale his Collection of Drawings, consisting of above 4000, which he has been above 18 Years in collecting at great Expence, and which he hopes will entirely satisfy the Publick upon account of the Quality and Originality of the Drawings, which are of the principal Schools of Italy, Flanders, and Holland. The Place and Time of Sale shall be advertised in 7 or 8 Days.

Bibliotheca Curiosa; or, A Catalogue of the most valuable English Book, in Divinity, History, Lives, Travels, Voyages, Plays, Romances, Mathematicks, and other Arts and Sciences; of the very best Editions, some large Paper, Morocco binding, and most new, gilt, and letter'd on the Back. Which will be sold by Auction, at Robin's Coffee-house in the Old-Jewry, near Cheapside, this Day the 17th Instant, beginning every Evening at 5 a Clock, and continue daily till all are sold. By Sam. Illidge, Bookseller, under Searle's Gate, Lincoln's Inn New-square. Catalogues may be had gratis at Mr. Walhoe's over against the Royal Exchange, at Mr. Holland's in St. Paul's Church yard, Booksellers; at the Rainbow Coffee house at Fleet-bridge, at Steel's Coffee house in Bread-street, and at the Place of Sale.

Just publish'd, never before printed.

Heroick Friendship, a Tragedy, by the late Ingenious Mr. Thomas Otway. Printed for Wm. Mears, at the Lamb without Temple-Bar, and Richard King, at the Queen's Head in Pater-noster-row, and Sold by A. Maurice without Temple-Bar. Price 1 s. 6 d.

To be Sold by AUCTION.

On Wednesday and Thursday, the 19th and 20th Instant, at the Sign of the Robe, opposite the Old Bailey end, on Ludgate-Hill; the Household-Goods of a Merchant lately gone to Holland, and brought from his Country-Seat: Consisting of good Beds and Bedding, fine Peer, Chimney-Glasses, Sconces, Carpets, China, Pictures, Prints &c. being very good and fashionable. The Goods to be view'd till the Time of Sale, which begins precisely at One a-Clock. Catalogues to be had at the Place of Sale.

To oblige the Curious, there will be expor'd to Sale at Mr. Lussingham's, the King's Arms in the Little-Piazza, Covent Garden, a most celebrated Collection of Prints and Drawings by the best Masters of Europe, Italian, French, and Flemish; being the Collection of Mynheer Simonis, late of Bruxelles Closet-keeper to the Archduke Leopold (Governour of the Netherlands) and also to his late Majesty King William; brought over by Mr. Pardi and Cotrevrinck. The Publick will be advertis'd in 6 Days time when to be view'd and sold, by Wm. Wilson, Manager of the Sale.

At the Golden-Key in Haydon-Yard in the Minories, the House so much noted by the Quality and Gentry for truly neat Wine, no other being ever sold there, is now bottled off a Piece of TRUE PALM SACK, perfectly fine, rich, genuine, and of an excellent racy Flavour; no Canary in Town near so good, as the best Judges of Wine acknowledge; 'tis an incomparable Flower of the right Growth, directly neat from the Grape, and will keep good if carried to the Indies and back again. Price 28 s. a Dozen, or 2 s. 4 d. a Bottle, Bottles and all. Also Right CARCAVALLA LISBON WHITE WINE, purely neat, fine and strong; for noblenes of Body, true grateful Taste and curious Flavour, not to be match'd in England. Price 24 s. a Dozen, or 2 s. a Bottle, Bottles and all. Likewise the noblest PONTACK FRENCH CLARET that ever was imported, perfectly bright, deep, strong, and of the right delicious Flavour, vastly exceeding any French Wine in London; a finer Flower was never drank, as all who taste it allow. Price 42 s. a Dozen, or 3 s. 6 d. a Bottle, Bottles and all. Note, Allowance will be made to those who take a Hogshead, or half Hogshead, of any of the above Wines at a time.

To be Sold by AUCTION,

At the Rainbow Coffee-house near Burchin-lane, Cornhill, on Wednesday and Thursday, the 19th and 20th Instant, a Curious Collection of Original Pictures by some of the best Italian, French, Flemish, Dutch and English Masters; being the Collection of the late Charles St. Loe, Esq; deceas'd. The Pictures are now ready for View, and will continue so till the Time of Sale, which will begin each Day at 4 a-Clock in the Afternoon precisely. Catalogues to be had at the Place of Sale gratis.

To be Sold by AUCTION.

On Wednesday the 19th Instant, all the Household Goods and Pictures of the late Mr. Nicholas Plunkett, deceas'd, (and another Parcel of Goods brought from Hampstead) at the late Dwelling-House of the said Nicholas Plunkett in King-street, Bloomsbury, over-against Russel-street, consisting of Standing-Beds and Bedding, Easy Chairs and other Chairs, Window-Curtains, a large Wainscot Book-Case, Scrutores, Drawers, Peer and Chimney-Glasses, Sconces, a fine gradually Repeating Clock and other Clocks, Tea-Tables and China, with the entire Furniture for a Kitchen. The Goods to be seen this Day and to Morrow, before the Sale, which will begin at 10 a-Clock precisely, and continue till all is Sold. Catalogues to be had at the Place of Sale.

To be Sold by AUCTION.

At Mr. Richard Price's, the Old Smyrna Coffee-house, opposite to his Grace the Duke of Marlborough's House in Pall-Mall, a Collection of Original Paintings, by some of the most Celebrated Masters, on Wednesday and Thursday, the 19th and 20th Instant. The Pictures are ready for View, and will be so till the Time of Sale, which will begin each Day at 11 in the Forenoon, where Catalogues may be had

To be Sold by AUCTION,

On Thursday and Friday, the 20th and 21st Instant, all the Stock in Trade of Mr. William Clarkson, deceas'd, at his late Dwelling House at the Golden Lion by Bloomsbury, Consisting of all sorts of Standing Beds, as Mohair, Camblets, and Cheney, both lined and unlin'd: Also a choice Parcel of Feather Beds, Blankets, Quilts, and Rugs: Also a large Quantity of Mohairs, Damasks, Satins, Demitys, Camblets, Cheneys and Linseys, both in whole Pieces and Remnants, with all other sorts of Upholsterers Wares. The Goods to be viewed and Catalogues to be had at the aforesaid House, To-morrow, Wednesday, and Thursday till the Time of Sale, which will begin exactly at One a Clock. Note, The House is to be Lett.

On Wednesday next will be published,

A Paper call'd, The Honest Gentleman. No 3 To be continued Weekly. Non Quis, sed quid fit, quæritur. Printed for J. Peele at Locke's Head between the Temple-Gates, and sold by J. Roberts in Warwick-lane. Price 2 d. At the first of which Places may be had, The Odes and Satyrs of Horace, done into English by the Earls of Rochester and Roscommon, Mr. Congreve, Dryden, Prior, Mainwaring, and other the most eminent Hands. Price 2 s. 6 d. stitcht, 2 s. bound. And also the last two new Plays, call'd, The Traytor, and Love in a Veil. Price 1 s. 6 d. each.

This Day is Published,

An Account of the cruel Persecutions, rais'd by the French Clergy, since their taking Sanctuary here, against several worthy Ministers, Gentlemen, Gentlewomen, and Tradesmen, dissenting from their Calvinistical Scheme, supported by Evidence. Shewing also the Grossness and Licentiousness of their daily Calumnies against Mr. de la Pillonniere, for his being an Enemy to Persecution, and an avowed Friend of all honest Protestant Dissenters: And containing a Detection of Fraud in the Distribution of the 15000 l. of the Royal Bounty, yearly given to the Poor French Protestant Refugees, and of many Falsehoods in the List, printed by the Distributors thereof. With an Appendix, containing the Lord Bishop of London's Letter to the French Clergy; with Remarks upon it. In Answer to some private Letters of Mr. de la Chapelle, Minister of the French Church in Artillery-lane. The whole laid before the English Nation, and the sober Part of the French Refugees By Claudius Rey, a French Lay-man. Printed for J. Roberts in Warwick lane, Price 1 s.

Just Published,

An Introduction to the Classicks: Containing a short Discourse on their Excellencies, and Directions how to Study them to Advantage, with an Essay on the Nature and Use of those Emphatical and Beautiful Figures which give Strength and Ornament to Writing. By Anthony Blackwall, M. A The 2d Edition, with Additions, and an Index. Printed for George Mortlock at the Phœnix, and Henry Clements at the Half Moon in St. Paul's Church-Yard, and Wm. Cantrell, Bookseller in Derby.

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